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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Mervyn John ROSE et al.

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Application No: 10/773,696

Group Art Unit: 2813

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Examiner: L. Schillinger

For: FIELD EMISSION BACKPLATE

Atty. Docket No.: 85170-5100

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for responding to the office action dated October 31, 2005, be extended for a period of three (3) months from January 31, 2006, the date now set, to and including May 1, 2006, since April 30, 2006 is a is a Sunday.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1,020.00. Please charge the required fee to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 4/24/06

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